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> RE: MUR 5711 Phil Angelides

Dear Ms. Peth:

On March 13, 2006, the Federal Election Commission notified your client, Phil Angelides, of a complaint alleging violations of certain sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended (the "Act"). On February 21, 2007, the Commission determined, on the basis of the information in the complaint and information provided by you, to dismiss the allegation that Mr. Angelides violated the Act by aiding and abetting Senator Barbara Boxer, Senator Dianne Feinstein, and House Speaker Nancy Pelosi in violating 2 U.S.C. § 4411(e). Accordingly, the Commission closed its file in this matter.

Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. See Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003). One or more Statement of Reasons explaining the Commission's decision in this matter will follow.

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If you have any questions, please contact Adam Schwartz, the attorney assigned to this matter at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

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